All official communications to be addressed to Chief of

Bureau of Ordnance.

Navy Department.

Washington City 24th April 1879.

A. L. Snowden Esq.

Superintendent - U.S. Mint.

Philadelphia.

Sir:—

Your letter of the 23rd inst. and the ninety nine (99) silver disks referred to therein, are received.

The Bureau approves of your suggestion to cast the entire amount of silver on hand belonging to it, into cylinders, and forward the same in one shipment to this Office; these cylinders will be converted into disks in the workshops of the Ordnance Department

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Department of the Washington navy Yard as may be desired.

Accept the Bureau's thanks for your valuable suggestion, and courteous attention in the matter.

All expenses incurred will be promptly settled upon presentation of the account.

Yours,
Your Obt. Servt.
William [illegible]
Commd. Chief of Bureau.

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Washington, April 24th
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William N. Jeffers.
Comdr Chief of Ordnance
Navy Department.

Acknowledges receipt of
99 silver discs:
Approves suggestion to
forward remainder of sil-
ver belonging to ordnance
Bureau in form of cylin-
ders, from which the disc
may be made by the Bureau

Recd April 25th 1879.

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[Abstract:] Acknowledges receipt of 99 silver discs… 194

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